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Well, the year-end issue of Animadverse is finally out. For us, it's a fifty-fifty, love and hate thing. We see "Animadverse" as an asset for Hamilton and other areas. The circulation has grown, the subscriptions have increased, the contributors has increased, well almost everything has increased or advanced. To us, this is a sign of general agreement and affinity with Animadverse, we can only see it's purpose and strength grow and the next issue will probably be better, and on time. But this is only on one circumstance, that is if we get enough money to put it out. We have talked about how to get more money for Animadverse, and we have tried supporting the supporter with cheap ads, and with cheap distribution. Our subscription rates and bulk rates are cheap, and we offer free subs to prisoners. This is all positive, but is it working? This can be costly (and we accept that). So now we are asking people to help pay for a prisoners support sub, on their own subscription. This will only be a four dollar difference of $12, or if you can pay more than that's great, if you can't that's also great too!

We are also asking people or groups to donate money when ever they can, ie.. monthly, bimonthly etc....We hope you will take all of this into consideration and take part. Thanks.

Well enough of that (but don't forget about it) We are also looking for translators, especially in the Hamilton area. We are looking for all languages. Apply to the box number.

In our last issue we mentioned a benefit for Animadverse, which will still happen, hopefully soon. If your in a band and want to play, then please feel free to contact us. Any style of music is welcome, but hip-hop, punk, reggae, ska and funk are recommended.

As you can see we are now in newsprint, what do you think, we don't know if we will carry it out, but maybe? Ta-Ta

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COMMUNIQUE FROM THE GENERAL COMMAND OF THE EZLN , JANUARY 6, 1994

MEXICO UPRISING

January 6, 1994

"Here we are, the dead. They die again, but this time for a better life."

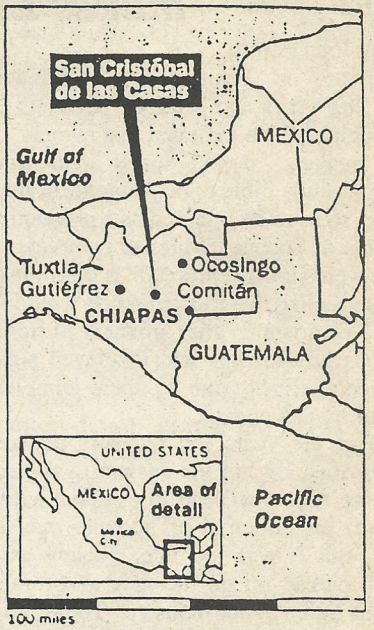
Since January first of this year, our Zapatista troops began a series of politico-military actions with the principal objective of letting the Mexican people and the world know the miserable conditions that millions of Mexicans, especially we the indigenous people, live and die in. With these actions, we also let people know our decision to fight for our elementary rights in the only way that the government authorities have left us: armed struggle.

The grave conditions of poverty of our compatriots has a common cause: the lack of freedom and democracy. We believe that an authentic respect for freedom and the democratic will of the people are the indispensable prerequisites for the improvement of the economic and social conditions of the dispossessed of our country. For this reason, just as we demand the improvement of the living conditions of the Mexican people, we demand freedom and political democracy; to accomplish this we call for the resignation of the illegitimate government of Carlos Salinas de Gortari and for the formation of a new democratic transition government which would guarantee fair elections in all levels of government. We reiterate the strength of our political and economic demands-demands around which we are trying to unite all of the Mexican people and all independent organizations so that, by means of all different forms of struggle, a national revolutionary movement can form. This movement would include all the different forms of social organization that strive, with honesty and patriotism, for the betterment of Mexico.

Since the beginning of our war for liberation we have not only been subject to attacks by repressive governmental bodies and the Federal Army, but we have also been slandered by the federal and the state governments and by the news media. They are trying to deceive the Mexican people and deprecate our struggle by saying that our struggle is led by foreigners, mercenaries, shadowy interests and anti-patriots who only seek personal gain. Because of these slanders and lies, we, the EZLN, believe ourselves obliged to say the following:

First: The EZLN does not have foreigners in its ranks or among its leadership, nor has it ever received any support or training from revolutionary forces of other countries or from foreign governments. The rumours that Guatemalans are fighting in our ranks and that they were trained in the neighbouring country are stories invented by the federal government to discredit our cause. We have not had, nor do we have now, any connection with the Salvadoran FMLN, nor with the Guatemalan URGN, nor with any other Latin American, European, African, or Asiatic armed movement. The military tactics that we employ were not learned from the Central American insurgency, but rather from Mexican military history: from Hidalgo, Morelos, Guerrero, Mina from the resistance to the Yankee invasion in 1846-47, from the popular response to French intervention, from the heroic exploits of Villa and Zapata and from indigenous resistance struggles throughout our country's history.

Second: The EZLN doesn't have any relations with authorities of the Catholic Church or of any other religion. We haven't received orientation, direction or support from any ecclesiastic structure in Chiapas nor from the papal nuncio nor



from the Vatican nor from anybody. The majority of the troops in our ranks are catholics, but there are those who profess other creeds and religions.

Third: The commanders and troop elements of the EZLN are mostly indians from Chiapas. This is so because the indigenous represent the poorest and most humiliated sector of Mexico, and also, as can be seen, the most dignified. We are thousands of armed indigenous people, and behind us there are tens of thousands of our families. Therefore, there are tens of thousands of indigenous people in struggle. The government says it is not an indigenous uprising, but we believe that if thousands of indigenous people rise up in arms, then yes it is an indigenous uprising. There are also in our movement Mexicans of other social origins and from other states of our country. They agree with us and have joined us because they do not agree with the exploitation that we suffer. Just as these non-indigenous Mexicans have joined us, others will also join us-because our struggle is national and is not limited only to the state of Chiapas. Currently, the political leadership of our struggle is totally indigenous; 100 percent of the members of the indigenous clandestine revolutionary committees in the com-

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Prisoner Support News...

"Whatever doesn't kill us makes us stronger."

By John Perotti

Prisons or "Penitentiaries" originated over 202 years ago with the Quakers in Philadelphia who believed that sinners, or law breakers, should spend their time alone to study bible to be penitent for their crimes so as to be released as a productive member of Society. Rules of complete silence were strictly enforced. It didn't take long to realize that this approach wouldn't work, as prisoner after prisoner suffered nervous breakdowns and displayed signs of mental illness due to their complete lack of human contact.

Over the years the Quakers realized that prisons are not the answer to the underlying roots that lead to criminal activity, nor an effective or humane punishment. But it was too late, Society as a whole picked up on the idea and turned Prisons into a major industry. Today, as it was in the 1800's isolation cellblocks, or "Control Units" are rapidly becoming the standard in prisons across the country. While not quite as harsh as the total silence and isolation the Quakers instituted, other factors are combined to produce the same results - a breakdown of a prisoner's spirit as well as physical and mental well being.

Nowadays, as in the 1800's, you no longer have to break a rule to be placed in the Control Units. Placement is made on the vague concept that one's mere presence constitutes a threat to the security of the operation of a prison, or suspected gang ties or affiliations. Once the label or stigma is attached by prisoners in this day or age to spend years and even decades in a Control Unit. I have spent 10.5 years out of the past 12 in Control Units.

The most vicious and inhumane guards work in"the Control Units. Most are delegated there due to their inability to interact or treat prisoners fairly. In a sense, they too are considered the outcasts of the prison, and have free rein to experiment any way they want to on the prisoners confined under their charge.

Life in the Control Unit is constant chaos due to the effects of total isolation and boredom on a prisoner's well being. The newer units have solid steel doors with a small window for counting, a food slot that is locked and only opened to push food trays through. Guards are so lazy that they won't even use the bowls that are sent with cereal and soup so they don't have to open the food slot to retrieve them; instead we have to push the empty trays under the doors. Mail is thrown on the floor then shoved under the cell door. Every aspect of life in the Control Unit is meant to debase and degrade a prisoner's very soul the purpose being that when released to general population where conditions are somewhat improved, the prisoner causes no problems for the prisoncrats for fear of being sent back to the Control Unit.

However, if you view the prison system as a whole, as being wrong - it doesn't matter where you're imprisoned. You must use the lockdown time in a manner to improve yourself, get in tune with your

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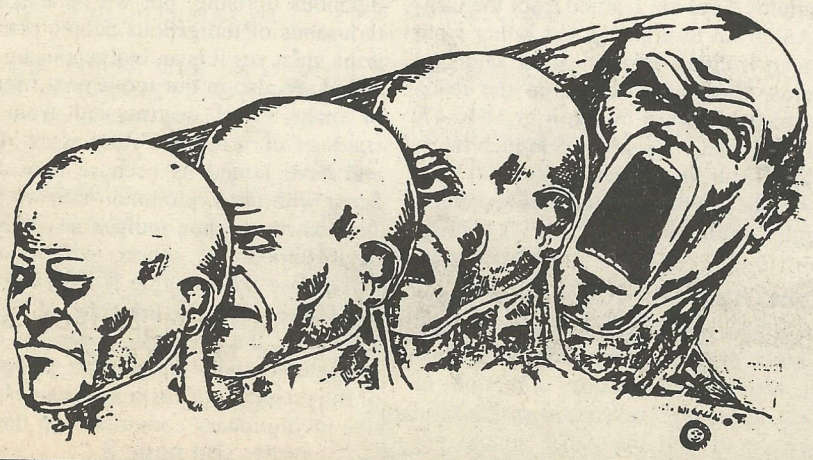

PRISONERS & HIV/AIDS!

By Zoltan Lugosi

In 1988 I was confined to medical segregation in Ontario jail. What was originally diagnosed by over-reactive health care staff as an infectious disease did not warrant the safety measures for communicable diseases, and I was released by the doctor who discovered and corrected the mistake.

Eventually I was imprisoned in a maximum security facility. Routine medical examination again brought my condition to the attention of yet another doctor. A few months later I was approached by the inmate committee of the prison. They informed me of a list they had that included my name and gave me a copy. This list of prisoners only included their names but also that they were ill with a communicable disease. They asked me if I was a carrier of HIV/AIDS, and advised me to contact my lawyer.

The council I spoke to about the civil rights violation (breech of doctor/patient confidentiality) referred me to legal aid and a local lawyer in Kingston. I did receive a certificate for financial assistance which led me to believe that there would be legal action taken. I also delineated the occurrences to date to my lawyer and filed an "inmate grievance".

The grievance proved to be the fastest and only action taken. We came to a resolution after the prison Health Care Director apologized to me and said they would be more careful about confidentiality in the future. I felt satisfied and saw no reason to pursue the matter. I did get actively involved in cases where human and civil rights violations were obvious though.

I soon began to write extensive articles analytical of the many failures within the criminal justice system, such as the crisis of HIV/AIDS and prisons. Throughout this period I sought out members of community organizations who expressed concern over some of the issues I described to them about prisons. Upon release I became actively involved. they were dedicated to exposing the horrors of prison and lobbying governments on behalf of those stuck in

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Prisoner Support News...

Alternatives to Prisons?

Instinctively or directly, many of us are becoming aware of the increasing use of prisons as a solution to the problem of crime. Even while governments are slashing budgets for health and child care, education, affordable housing and other needed services and programs, new and more sophisticated prisons are being built to warehouse increasing numbers of prisoners. In Canada, there has been a 25% increase in federal prison populations in just four years, while u.s. prison populations have quadrupled since 1975. In the words of a prison rights activist of the American Civil Liberties Union, "our nations' love affair with prisons has become a fatal attraction, leading us to locking up our future".

With the high rates of recidivism and imprisonment, it is clear that our current methods of punishment to deter people from crime are not making our streets any safer. Penologists and prison administrators have realized this and there have been some major changes in prison systems as a result. However, the draconian philosophy of warehousing offenders will remain in effect as long as fiscal resources go toward building new prisons instead of funding programs that might truly address the cause of crime.

It has become increasingly necessary to embark on an ambitious initiative to develop and explore alternatives to punishment and prisons as the solution to crime. And who would be better to come up with ideas for a solution to the public safety problem than those who have come into conflict with the law? Who would best address ideas of alternatives to prisons than those people inside them? Who best understands the people inside prisons than those who work with them? To answer these questions and develop some solutions to crime, this is a challenge to prisoners, ex-

prisoners and members and individuals of support organizations to inspire written works on alternatives to prisons. A selection of the works received on these and other relevant issues will be compiled in an anthology on alternatives to prison.

Anyone interested in writing on the theme of alternatives to prison, or for more information, do contact:

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Prison Legal News
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The *Prison Legal News* is a monthly newsletter published and edited by Washington state prisoners Ed Mead and Paul Wright. The PLN has been regularly published since May of 1990. While the paper's focus is on Washington state, the PLN also has coverage of prison-related news and analysis from across the country and around the world.

The PLN reports on court decisions affecting prisoners and contains information designed to help prisoners vindicate their rights in the judicial system. PLN is aimed at prisoners and their friends and loved ones on the outside, with the goal of helping prisoners and their supporters organize themselves to have a voice, and to be a progressive force in developing a public policy debate around the issue of crime and punishment. With those objectives in mind, the PLN's motto is: "Working To Extend Democracy To All."

The PLN is produced and mailed entirely by volunteers, and is completely non-profit. The paper relies on donation from readers in order to continue publishing. There is no set subscription rate for most people. This is because many PLN readers are on death row or in control units, and are thus unable to make any contribution at all. Prisoners in the general population are expected to donate something, as are family members and friends on the outside. The editors themselves are prisoners who, in order to publish, have to make up any shortfall in contributions from their own pockets.

Send $1.00 to the address below if you would like to receive a sample copy of the PLN. The suggested donation for a one year subscription is $10.00, or even more if you can afford it. Check the PLN out for yourself and see what a great little publication it is. For state agencies, such as prison law libraries, the institutional subscription rate is $25.00 per year.

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Prisoner Support News...

WHAT HAPPENED TO GARY HAYES?

Years ago, on the 9th. of June, 1987, Gary Hayes was questioned by police in the Perth suburb of Scarborough, Western Australia, taken to the Wembley CIB nearby where he was bashed, tortured and strangled. The five detectives involved are: Noy, Savage, Benier, O'Haleran and Bell.

During the night and day in police custody, Gary was beaten, strangled in an attempt to kill him and whipped across the face with handcuffs in an attempt by police to get a confession to a crime he did not commit. They framed Gary with the alleged break-in to the City Beach deli. The fact that a window found broken at the kiosk was too small for Gary to have climbed into; the fact that there was blood on a fridge in the kiosk, but Gary had no cuts on him, (until after the police cut his face with their handcuffs) did not bother the police. They framed Gary, by taking his jumper from him after the assaults and putting shards of glass from the kiosk window into his jumper.

Gary got out on bail, and the next day saw a Dr. Chris Fox at the Sir Charles Gardinier Hospital. In common with many doctors who see people who have been bashed by police, Dr. Fox was unwilling to accept the real fact of the existence of police violence, and so minimised the ex-

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body and mind, study, and you can come out stronger. Whatever doesn't kill us makes us stronger. I personally use the time to litigate my criminal appeal, inhumane prison conditions, as well as study and maintain contacts. I taught myself how in the Control Unit first as a form to fight back, then as I progressed with the knowledge that sometimes small portions of justice can be obtained through the ruling classes' own injustice system. But many men break under the harsh conditions. We must try to assist those brothers who aren't as strong mentally, by steering them to productive ways to spend their time in lockdown. Exercise and reading overcome the boredom and constant din that occurs in the Control Units. Unity amongst the prisoners keep the oppressive tactics of sadistic and brutal guards to a minimum. When there is a division amongst the prisoners, these guards will focus in to create a wider chasm of division - after all - the name of the game to them is divide and conquer.

Above all, while many don't believe in the courts, prison litigation is a necessary form of self - defence - and should be utilized against injustices within the Control Units. After all, physical violence is met by the unlimited amount of guards available - but using intelligence, something the majority of guards in Control Units lack, often pays off in the long run.

We must also put aside personal prejudices and loyalties and work together to overcome our oppression. Prisons have always been neutral grounds for any prior conflicts in the free world. We must strive to maintain this tradition, and join together to stave of the oppression meted out by the prisoncrates.

Last but not least, when the depression that the Control Unit causes to set in, think of the wife, children, mother, friends and family who love you out there, and the knowledge that one day this will all be a bad memory, and that you'll be out there with them, and use that glimmer of hope to pull up out of it.

Stay Strong!... John Perotti

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the bureaucracy of corrections.

The culmination of six months work of a coalition, PASAN, was Prisons and HIV/AIDS: A COMPREHENSIVE STRATEGY, which addressed all the issues that are further complicated in the confines of institutions. It makes recommendations to deal with all the issues, from education, treatment and preventative methods.

The Prisoners with AIDS Support Action Network (PASAN) today employs a prison outreach worker and one staff to over see an office in Toronto, Canada. It is a grassroots organization primarily concerned with prisoners, while continually lobbying to effectively deal with the crisis. I maintain my membership in PASAN, correspond with various pwa's regularly, and lending assistance in any tasks at hand. Currently, I am working to create a PASAN newsletter that will be primarily by and for prisoners.

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Prisoner Support News...

Georges Cipriani?

Georges Cipriani was removed back to prison -into the same condition of detention! This decision was taken by the Police authorities and not by the doctors; that means, that the psychiatric treatment was finished from one minute to the other. It hits Georges really hard - it's a double-edged thing - on one side they forced him to psychiatric treatment and on the other side he needs a separation of psychopharmaca, absolutely a longer period to fight more physical and psychical injuries.

The political decision was legitimated by an expected further process. This new process versus the organization Action Directe started on 16th November. It finished in an eclat. All defendants and all lawyers left it on the third day, by declaring its an unfair procedure, a political process within previously determined judgement.

To condemned the prisoners the courts need lawyers (conscripted one), no defendants, to hold upright their own legality. It is rumoured, that the next process starts in February.

This suspension of medical treatment hardly treats him, but the fade away of the effect of psychiatric medicine cleared up his brain (notions, reflections...) I don't know, if you have any knowledge about the operation of psychopharmaca, like "Haldol". It's really horrible, because it makes you will less. No, not really will less; you can imagine to want anything, but you cannot realize it, you cannot instruct your body to do (or say) what you want... . Georges says, it was the horriblest experience he had in his life, and he will never pass through it again.

His actual conditions of detention.

But, the political responsibles want Georges back to psychiatric-

prison-hospital, to carry on psychiatric-medicamental treatment.

For that reason Georges has, one week before the process started, been in an unlimited hunger strike.

He requires

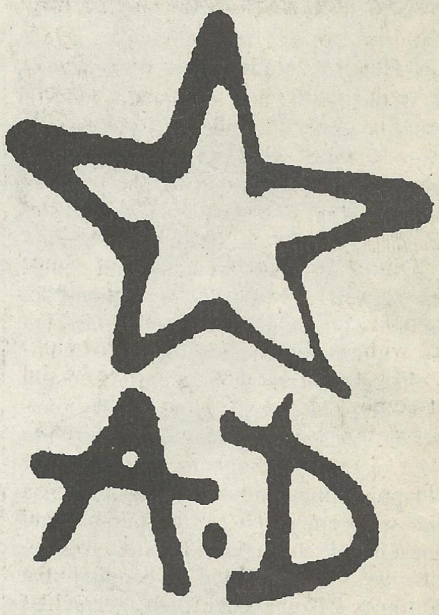
-visit permissions for all people permitting it for the last years

-an admission of a doctor of his trust, to get the possibility of a self-determined therapy, even he requires.

-free visits for his combatants - the other three prisoners of Action Directe - and active.

-solidarity to Bernd Rossner, an ill prisoner in Germany, who also has gone ill in a 17 year isolation in prison.

-Georges combatants had gone in solidarity - hunger strike for a week. So the process was a moment of publicity and it couldn't be hidden. ***(adapted from a letter from comrades in Germany, FPPF)***



Campaign for the FREEDOM Of PABLO SERRANO!

SALUD:

We inform to you about a new campaign asking for the libertarian prisoner Pablo Serrano FREEDOM. The campaign will go on December & January. The objective is to denounce the harassment that Pablo Serrano is suffering, imprisoned in the Prison of Zaragoza.

The campaign consists of: Meetings, a libertarian conference for the Pablo Serrano Freedom and massive sending of letters and faxes to Ministry of Justice denouncing this situation.

We ask for you to send letters and/or faxes and extend the campaign to other collectives.

Juan Aberto Belloch. Ministerio de Justicia.
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You can take this text as a model:

"Manifestamos nuestra protesta hacia el Ministerio de Justicia por la actucaion que mantiene con el preso Pablo Serrano.

Pablo Serrano va a cumplir 10 anos encarcelado de una condena de 30. Pese a Tener un historial limpio, no ha disfrutado de ninguno de los beneficios penitenciarios establecidos en la legislacion vigente (permisos de salida o tercer grado).

Nos sorprende su actuacion con Pablo Serrano y el agravio comparativo que supone con otros presos: militares golpistas, GAL, ultraderechistas y miembros de fuerzas de seguridad, que pese a ser condenados a penas muy superiores se encuentran muchos de ellos en libertad, con tercer grado o con continuos permisos.

Le solicitamos se digne a reciber a la organizacion CNT con el fin de negociar la situacion de Pablo Serrano. Atentamente."

Please send a copy.

Pablo Serrano was imprisoned charged with the murder of a consultant of local Employers' Organization and setting a bomb in Graphic Arts Employers' Organization local central office. He was sentenced to 30 years imprisoned.

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bat zones are ethnic Tzotzil, Tzetal, Chol, Tojolabal and others. It's true that not all the indigenous people of Chiapas are with us yet, because there are many people who still believe the government's lies and deceptions. But there are already thousands of us and they must take us into account. The use masks to hide our faces is in keeping with elemental security measures and as a vaccine against caudilismo.

Fourth: Our people have a variety of weapons and equipment and it should be understood that their total number and quality were not shown publicly to the mass media nor to the civilian populations in the major municipalities that we took over on the first and second of this month. These weapons and equipment were gathered little by little and accumulated in silence over the last ten years. The "sophisticated" means of communication that we possess can be bought in any imported goods store in the country. To get weapons and equipment we never resorted to robbery, extortion, or kidnapping/hijacking; we always relied on what we were given by the humble and honest people throughout Mexico. It is because we never resorted to banditry that the forces of repression didn't detect us throughout 10 years of careful and serious preparation.

Fifth: some have asked why we decided to begin now, since we have been preparing for some time. The answer is that before this we were trying other peaceful and legal means, but without result. During the last 10 years over 150,000 of our indigenous brothers have died from curable illnesses. The social and economic plans of the municipal, state and federal governments don't offer any real solutions to our problems and are limited to giving us handouts when there are elections, but the handouts are temporary and then death comes again to our houses. Because of this we say that we have had enough-that we had enough of dying a useless death, and that it is better to fight for change. If we die now it will no longer be in shame but with dignity, like our ancestors. Another 150,000 are prepared to die if necessary to wake our people up from the deceptive dream that binds them.

Sixth: the conditions of "reconciliation" that the federal government is trying to impose on us are unacceptable to our organization. We won't lay down our arms until they meet the demands that we made at the beginning of our struggle. On the other hand, we propose the following conditions for the initiation of dialogue:

A) Recognition of the EZLN as a belligerent force.

B) Cease fire on all sides in the disputed territories.

C) Withdrawal of federal troops from all communities with full respect for the human rights of the rural population. Withdrawal of federal troops to their respective barracks in various parts of the country.

D) Stop the indiscriminate bombing of rural populations.

E) Using the last three conditions as a base, the formation of an intermediary national commission.

Our troops are committed to respecting these conditions if the federal government does the same. If not, our troops will continue advance on the country's capital. The EZLN reiterates that we will continue to adhere to the laws of war approved by the Geneva Convention, to respect the civilian population, the Red Cross, the press, the wounded and enemy troops who surrender without fighting to our troops.

We're making a special call to the North American people and government. To the fist we call upon them to initiate actions in solidarity with our compatriots. We call upon the North American government to suspend all military and economic aid to the dictatorial government that doesn't respect human rights because said aid will be used to massacre the Mexican people.

Mexicans: The military balance in the fighting up to January 5, has had the following results:

1)Casualties of the Zapatista forces: 9 dead and 20 seriously wounded that are being attended in our field hospitals. An undetermined amount of slightly wounded that were reintegrated into their combat posts and 123 missing in action. We haven't included in this total our combatants who, wounded, were killed in cold blood by officers of the federal army who administered the coup de grace. We have not determined yet the number of these companeros since our troops are still fighting in Ocosingo.

2) Casualties of the enemy forces (including police and federal soldiers): 27 dead, 40 wounded and 180 prisoners who surrendered to our troops and were then released in good condition. There are at least another unconfirmed 30 federal troops dead. These casualties along with an undetermined number of wounded occurred January 4, in the mountains south of San Cristobal de las Casas when bombs dropped by the F.A.M. fell on the trucks of federal soldiers that were maneuvering in that zone.

3)Enemy war material destroyed or damaged: Three attack helicopters of F.A.M. (one in the capital Ocosingo and two in SCLC), Three F.A.M. rockets, 15 radio patrols, Four State Judicial Police torture centers.

4) Liberated prisoners: 230 from attacks on four prisons (two on SCLC, one in Ocosingo, one in Margaritas.)

5) War materials captured: approximately 207 weapons of different calibers (M-16, G-3, M-2, grenade launchers, rifles and pistols and as undetermined amount of ammunition of diverse calibers, 1266 kilograms of dynamite and 10,000 TNT detonators. 20 transport vehicles. An Undetermined amount of radio communications equipment used by the police, army and air force.

To the national and international press:

We call the attention of the honest national and international press to the genocide being conducted by the federal military forces in the principal municipalities of San Cristobal de las Casas, Ocosingo, Altamirano and Margaritas, as well as on the roads bordering those points. In these places civilians were killed indiscriminately and later presented as casualties of EZLN. Some of the Zapatistas that the Federal army claims to have killed are in perfect health. The behaviour of the federal troops in these cities contrasts with that of our forces who are always concerned, as civilians in these cities can testify, with protecting innocent lives. The majority of the destruction to public and private buildings that are attributed to our troops was caused by federal troops when they entered the four principal municipalities.

To the Federal Army:

The present conflict unmasks, once more, the nature of the federal army and it shows its true essence: the indiscriminate repression, the violation of all human rights and the lack of ethics and military honour. The killing of women and children perpetrated by the army in the conflict area show an army out of control. We are calling on officers and troops of the army to refuse to carry out orders handed down to them by their superiors to exterminate civilians or summarily execute

CONT - ON BACK

THE PIGS ARE GOING WILD IN THE STREETS

After seeing the Rodney King incident in L.A. the mass majority of people were astonished and surprised to see "our" cops, do such things for the first time to our citizens. Many were not surprised. Millions of people are victims of police brutality every day. All across the world people are victims by these ruthless, authoritative pigs.

Call me rude, but I have no sympathy for the pigs killed in Sudbury last month. I have no sympathy for the undercover just stabbed the other day in Hamilton, (But I do have sympathy for the man who was viciously beaten (and badly) after stabbing the cop). I have sympathy for all of the other counterattacks carried out against the cops. I also have sympathy for all the people facing the torture by police every day. We are all victims of authority, but some receive the worst.

A FEW VICTIMS OF COP VIOLENCE

Luis Antonio (Tony) Vega

On 28 December Tony Vega of Equadoran origin, was shot and killed by a cop (who was accompanied with two other cops) who thought his life was in danger. He shot three bullets into Vega that killed him.

Vega was upset over employment matters and got into a fight with his brother. He was intoxicated and very upset. When the cops came, Vega ran towards the three cops with a knife, the one cop who felt he was in danger, shot Vega three times. The cops then took Vega's brother, (who had a neck injury from trying to calm Vega down) to the police station after he requested he needed medical help and to see how his brother was. The cops then forced him to stay and give a statement to a uniformed cop, then two plainclothes showed up to tape his statement. Four hours later he was aloud to go to the hospital to get treatment, and found out his brother was dead on arrival at the hospital.

The cop, Tim Gallant, was found not guilty nine months after the murder (October).

Audrey Smith

Audrey Smith, a Jamaican womyn who experienced a different form of police violence, was stripped naked by cops on a street corner in Toronto. She was accused of having illegal drugs? The cops claim, she said, "Search me, Search me."

At a news conference about Smith, another womyn stood up and expressed another example of police violence: She filed a complaint that a Metro cop from 55 Division had inspected her anus and vagina, kicked her, punched her, swore at her, dragged her down the stairs and robbed her.

The wimmin's groups that were at the conference said, Smith's experience, "was a common one among wimmin of colour who are regularly strip searched by police officers in clubs, in cars, and by Canada Customs officers at Pearson."

The Congress of Black Women, and other wimmin's groups urged Toronto's Chief William McCormack to resign.

Though there are thousands of police shootings across the world and in Canada, we can only concentrate on a few. Here's a close-to-home list of other pig shootings since '88:

Lester Donaldson, was murdered by police August 9, 1988. Toronto's Chief pig, William McCormack and five other cops were involved in the shooting. Const. pig, David Deviney was charged with murder, and was later acquitted in 1990. This case is proof of the pigs insecurity and cover-ups. The pigs issued a publication ban in September on some of the case and the inquest, which was turned down.

Michael Lawson, was murdered by cops 8 December, 1988, while trying to get away from them in a stolen car. Const. pig Anthony Melaragni and Const. pig Darren Longpre were acquitted of second degree murder charges.

Marlon Neal, was shot 14 May, 1990. He luckily lived while trying to get away from cops radar. Const. pig Brian Rapson was charged and later cleared by the courts.

Sophia Cook, was shot 27 October, 1990 She was temporarily paralyzed after being stopped by pigs in a stolen car. She was the passenger in the car. She was shot by Const. pig Cameron Durham, who was cleared of all charges.

Ronald White, was shot and murdered by cops 5 December, 1990. He was shot five times by an undercover pig, who said he was threatened with a knife. No charges were laid against the pig.

Joeseph Gerald Boisjoly was shot 26 Decemember, 1990. He was shot three times after pointing a gun at two cops. The cops were let off, and the court found that they hadn't overreacted.

Patrick Joeseph Clements was murdered by the "emergency task force" on 16 July, 1991. He was shot during a bank rob-

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Lorenzo Komboa Ervin Speaks In Toronto

On November 23rd Lorenzo Komboa Ervin spoke to a capacity crowd at the South African Center in Toronto. Lorenzo is on a North American tour to promote the newly revised and printed pamphlet he authored; Anarchism and the Black Revolution. The tour was also a chance for Lorenzo to talk more broadly about his life as a Black; Revolutionary, political prisoner, anti-klan activist and anarchist.

Speaking casually of the rather extrodinary circumstances that have shaped his life, he emphasised that in fact the repression he encountered while a member of the Black Panther Party was part and parcel of reaching a Black revolutionary position in the U.S. in the 60's and 70's. Where a massive campaign by the FBI known as CoIntellPro (short for Counter Intelligence Program) led to the breaking up of Black, Native and Chicano/a organizations. As well as the harassment, arrests, and even deaths of many.

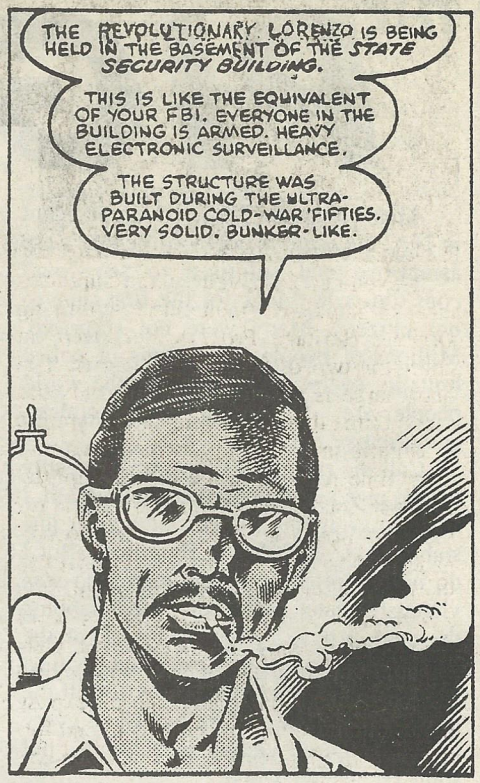
Lorenzo, was no exception, where after pigs in his native Chattanooga Tennessee threatened his life, he commandeered a plane to Cuba. As a result of being arrested and turned over to the U.S. by the governments of Havana and Prague. Lorenzo's first doubts about authoritarian politics began to crystallize. While in prison in the States, Lorenzo became an anarchist. His time in prison also included the infamous Marion Control Unit in Illinois where he discussed being part of the Marion Brothers.

An important issue of the night was Lorenzo speaking on his recent involvement in anarchist circles after a lengthy hiatus from this. Due to his feelings that there was little understanding or support for Blacks in the "movement", he discussed the overt racism and limitations he has and continues to experience today.

A lively question and answer period ensued with many debates on the subjects Lorenzo spoke of in his three hour talk, reflecting the diversity of the crowd's experiences and interests.

Currently Lorenzo is raising support for himself and 7 others, members of Concerned Citizens for Justice in Chattanooga Tennessee who were busted while demonstrating against a police commemoration for the 100 cops killed there in 100 years. Their point in demonstrating was to hi-light the equal number of deaths at the hands of pigs in 10 years!

Send support to the Chattanooga D 8 Defence Campaign c/o Concerned Citizens for Justice, P.O. box 1066, Federal courthouse and Post Office Bldg., Chattanooga Tn. 37401 and write a letter demanding all charges be dropped to Gary Gerbitz, State's D.A. Office, Hamilton County Justice Bldg., 600 Market St., Suite 310, Chattanooga Tn. 37402. USA



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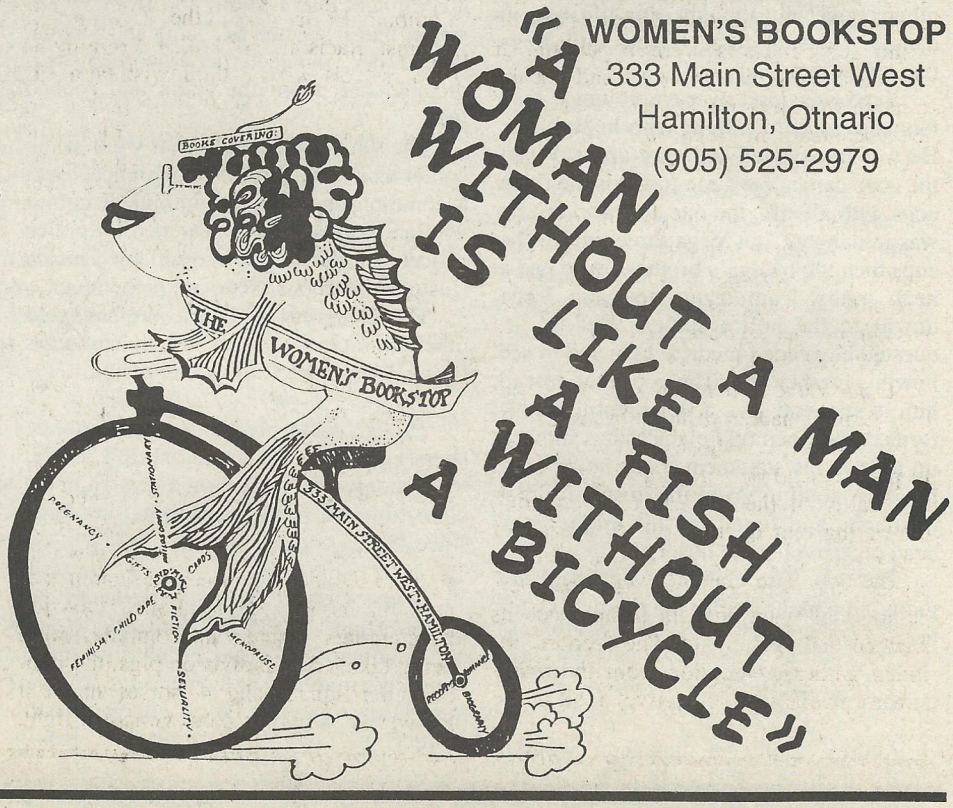
O'Dea. Present indications are that judge Viol does not comprehend that the psychiatric report is just a mechanism for silencing a police-bashed citizen, and that in his sentencing he will give more weight to this report than to Gary's evidence with the possible consequence that Gary will be legally classified as insane for daring to speak out strongly about police violence and corruption.

IF YOU WANT TO SHOW SUPPORT FOR GARY, YOU CAN-

Write to judge Viol c\o the judges chambers, district court, 30 St. Georges Terrace, Perth 6000, Australia. Or phone 09 4252222, tell him it is more important to stop police violence, than to stop people speaking out about it.



TAKIN' IT TO THE BIG FISH

November 24th, four white supremacist organisers (including Wolfgang Droege, Heritage Front leader) were in court for two different appearances. The one charge is significant as it is only the second time that decimating hate literature in Ontario in the laws 31 years. The only other time resulted in the recent acquittal of Ernst Zundel the neo-nazi historical revisionist based in Toronto who coordinates and feeds (money and literature) to the international neo-nazi movement. It is exactly that he is unabated in his work here (while being "convicted" in Germany) that led to (Toronto) Anti-Racist-Action's decision to expose the "bigger fish" and ultimately to end further police cooperation with the fascists that led to attacks and 8 anti-racist's arrests.

MISERY LOVES COMPANY

The coldest day of the year, so far, didn't stop close to two hundred (mainly) youths to Nathan Phillip Square, home to Toronto's civic and political spectacles including City Hall and the courts where the white supremacist's were appearing. It was the huge police presence and not the weather that kept the speeches short and the organisers from getting to Zundel's home and base of operations at 206 Carlton Ave. before the pigs moved in. The pigs still smarting from criticism over June 11th (where the center for the Heritage Front's hateline and home of Gary Schipper met with a righteous spontaneous community response.)

THE BIG FISH

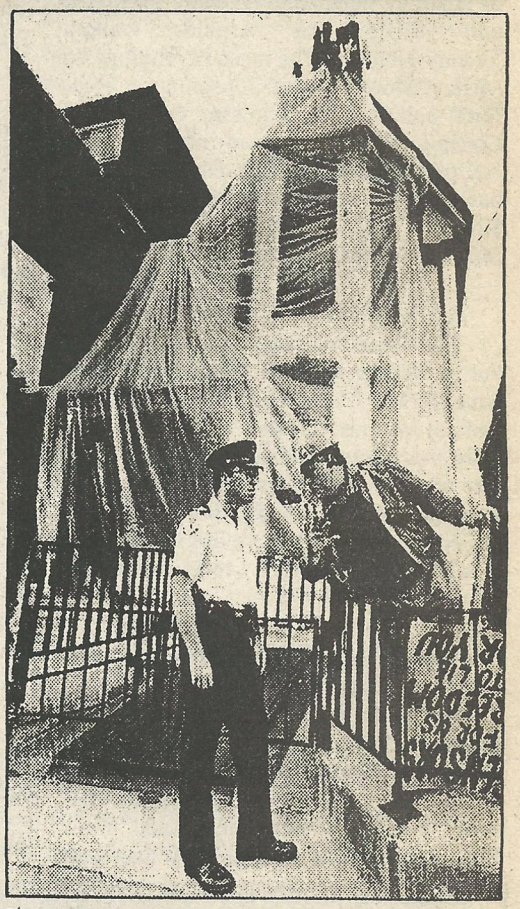
Ernst Zundel born in Germany and long term Canadian resident has spent his entire rotten life dedicated to nazi causes. In particular to denouncing and rewriting the reality of the holocaust by creating, translating and distributing thousands of hate tracts. One such "report" he commissioned that "proved" that gas chambers couldn't of functioned in camps such as Dacheu and Auschwitz. The "report" initially gathered attention from the mainstream media as a "objective" look at the "possibility" that there weren't gas chambers and not as something written by neo-nazi to deny and reverse the experiences of millions of people. Ernst's supposed "expert" on gas chamoers was later revealed to be a plumber! Perhaps this explains Zundel's fetish for hardhate, the other public spectacle is his house. Where after a 1981 bomb attack on the house he turned it into a bunker, with mounted cameras, barbedwire, sandbags and when ARA visits a large dropsheet draped over the already ugly headquarters.

EXPOSING THE BIG FISH

Despite the obvious display of power by the pigs, and the suspicious lack of one by the nazis themselves usually a fixture at Zundel's (perhaps they know something?). The protest remained focused chanting Die Nazi Die, and more specifically Jump, Jump, Jump to the boneheads video taping the demo from Zundel's roof. There were more speeches from Lorenzo Komboa Ervin from the Coalition Against Racism and Police Brutality (U.S., see elsewhere), the Jewish Feminist Anti-Fascist League and others. A few eggs and some paint were thrown at the house and at Zundel in surveillance gear and his crones in the alley. The march then left peacefully promising to return another day!

BEER AND BRATWURST

The alliances and intentions were perhaps best put by one pig who joked at a anti-racist that after the demo he was going to join Ernst for some "beer and bratwurst". With this said soon after innocent anti-racists were singled out (and in at least one case) beaten and arrested within sight of Zundel's house. The march was now on its way to 51 Police Division headquarters where our comrades were being taken. 51\52 division pigs, the public order squad, and 4 horses made it known we wouldn't pass without a fight.



At least two more busts followed and a insulting offer made by the pig in charge to "escort us safely" to the subway. The offer not accepted the demo soon ended.

UPDATE

(Toronto) ARA held a press conference the following day to bring to attention the pig attacks and the media's sensational coverage. Also Heritage Front insider Charlene Ellissa Hategan (on trial for hate distribution) is turning evidence on the other HF leaders. More information when it surfaces.

REVIEWS

ALTERNATIVE PRESS REVIEW (Winter 1994) $3.95

This is closely related to Anarchy magazine and it is published by members of Anarchy magazine. Anarchy magazine part II!!!! has articles called: Twenty-Nothing, The mass Psychology of Misery, More Cults of Consumption, Rap, Race and Politics, Clinton, Quigly and Conspiracy. It has a good interview with AK press, and Fine Print distributers, and has reviews, letters and more. Subs are $22.00 C.A.L., POB 1446, Columbia, MO. 65205-1446, USA

ANARCHY (#38 FALL '93) $3.00

This issue includes articles such as: For A World Without Morality, A Critique of Half-Assed Radicalism, In the Aftermath of the Spanish Civil War and more. Also International Anarchist News, zine reviews and letters. Subscriptions for 4 issues is $12.00 U$, $15.00 Canada and Mexico and $18.00 for everywhere else. C.A.L. Press, P.O.B. 1446, Columbia, MO, 65205-1446. U.$.A.

ARM THE SPIRIT (Info bulletin 2-3, July-October)

This bulletin is a great source of info as always. Issue 2 has news from Kurdistan, Greece, France and Chile. It also covers the death of Wolfgang Grams, Red Army Fraction Communique, and a lot more. Issue 3 Has an article by Ray Luc Lavasseur called The Fire Inside, also Shut Down the control units! The B.O.P.'s Merry-Go-

Round, Unity: A necessity Not a Luxury and an interview with European PKK Representative and there are lots-o-more stuff. $12.00 for 12 issues of their monthly bulletin and $10.00 for 4 issues of their 36 page magazine. Only send cash or BLANK postal money orders. For subs. write to: A.T.S. POB 6326, Stn. A, Toronto, Ontario, M5W 1P7 Canada.

BLACK FIST (Vol. 1 issue 3, spring\summer) $3.00

Pretty good zine. Contains Anarchist History in Spain and Mexico, The RCP Sucks>/So Do Fascists, lots of pro-choice stuff, and news on Gary Graham. Check it out! 3 bucks for an issue, 6 bucks for a year. Black fist, 15110 Bellaire, box 317, Houston Texas, 77083 U.S.A.

EASTERN ORTHODOX (Alphabet THREAT, undated.)

Quite a funny paper. Articles about the State, Squatters rights, and a poem about breast cancer, and a neat little map of Sacramento, CA. For a copy write to: Alphabet Threat, 3018 J St. # 140, Sacramento CA, 95816 U.S.A.

FREEDOM FORTNIGHTLY (Vol.54 No.6, 20 March 93.) 50p

This is pretty old now, but is a good issue. News from Northern Ireland, Native and Black resistance, Class and Anarchism and more. Since the issue is out-dated is probably best you write them for sub info. Freedom Press in Angel Alley, 84b Whitechapel High Street, London E1 7QX

GLOBAL MAIL (Issue 5 May 93)

This is published three times a year. It is a paper listing different Mail Art Shows, Archives, Art Projects, Books, Compilations, Exchanges, Fax, Tape and Video, Zines and lots more other address. Subs are $6.00 and 8$ Air mail. There are over 240 Listings. Contact: Ashley Parker Owens, Po Box 597996, Chicago, Il 60659 USA

INDUSTRIAL WORKER (Vol. 90 No. 1564 October 1993) $1.00

"It's time to get organized!" This is the paper of San Francisco Industrial Workers of the World (Wobblies) It has information on Student Fired for union organizing, Mafia grabs power in Russia, Hispanic workers organize hotel & food service industry, Pepsi workers form union in Guatemala, women forced to take drugs before appearing in court and trees and jobs! It also has the "trashy Journalism for the Working Class"...WAGE SLAVE WORLD NEWS which is a comical working class perspective. Has articles on Smoking NAFTA cigarettes will make you rich, and Get rich fast. The Industrial Worker is into trading and it's only $15.00 a year. Industrial Worker, 1095 Market St. Suite 204 San Francisco, CA 94103 USA

KICK IT OVER (No. 32 Fall 1993) $2.50

The Kick It Over collective is opposed to all forms of hierarchy and domination, whether right or left. This issue contains articles on Living in the City, squatting, Libertarian Municipalism, and Street lives. Plus, ARA stuff, preserving our anarchist past, talking to men, Human Ecology and Community Politics. There is also there regular features like, The Global Village, In brief, letters etc... Another fine issue by Kick It Over, Subscriptions are $9.00 for four issues. Kick It Over, Po Box 5811, Station A Toronto, Ontario Canada. M5W 1P2

LESBIAN AND GAY FREEDOM MOVEMENT (Newsletter 8 - Winter 93) 40p

This small zine is full of sexual anarchy. It has articles on Sadomasochism is a part of sexual liberation, Dykes on bikes, fuck the age of consent, SM pride event, Does sexuality labelling hinder sexual liberation, letters, reviews and much more. Write for sub rates and WHIP this zine up at: LGFM Newsletter, BM Box 207, London WC1N 3XX

REVIEWS

LIBERA VOLO (Issues 54-56 October - November)

This is a Japanese-language anarchist news bulletin of the ARP. Although we don't understand Japanese, we know issue 54 has articles on Leonard Peltier WSA/AIT congress report and other anarchist news. Issue 55 has articles on Katsuhisa Omori and issue 56 has articles on Omori, CNT/FAI. The ARP also distributes the WARRIOR, which has a back page revised in English. If you speak Japanese or want more information contact: ARP, PO Bo 57, Sakyo, Kyoto 606 JAPAN

ON THE PROWL (Issue# 1 Nov/Dec 1993)

This is the new news bulletin of Anti-Racist Action (Toronto). It has articles on: Celebrating the anniversary of ARA, Torpedo Showboat, A Climate of Fear (in this issue), Stop Criminalizing Anti-Racists, International News, Local news and more. Want to get involved? Call or Write: Anti-Racist Action P.O. Box 664, STN C, Toronto, Ontario, M6J 3S1 CANADA (Phone (416) 631-8835)

ORGANISE! for class struggle anarchism (Issues 30-32 April-Dec) 50p each

This is the magazine of the Anarchist Communist Federation. Issue 30 is cover titled; Deafen the ruling class with the Sweat Music of Class Struggle. It has articles on music and class struggle, ecology and enlightenment, workplace struggles, religion, Somalia and more. Issue 31 has articles on Somalia: keeping the capitalist peace, Timex, miners, "Natural Law", Bosnia, South Africa, Terrorism, Anarchism in the six counties and more. Issue 32 is trying to analyze wimmin's oppression under capitalism. Such articles are; The family, Patriarchy, Riot grrrls, fascism, women and revolution, fraud squad and much more. All issues have news and analysis, letters and a section called aspects of anarchism. Subs are 3 pounds, and there is a 6 pound supporting sub (with extra sauce) ACF c/o 84b Whitechapel High Street, London E1 7QX

P.C. (Issue 1 Winter '93) $2.00

This is put out by one of the editors of the small magazine called Anarchy 101. This issue is full of punk, Anti-Racism, and more. It has a lot of local based information featuring band interviews with, Kops For Christ, Ignatz and Disaffect. And an interview with the now defunct Toronto Ecomedia. There is also lots of stuff on ARA, A section for Anarchy 101, P.C. rants, Rock Against Racism, reviews and much, much, much, much more. Write them at: P.C. Po box 664 STN. C, Toronto Ontario, Canada M6J 3S1

PRISON NEWS SERVICE (Issue 42 September/October '93)

Again, this is one of the best prisoner support newspapers across North Amerikkka. This issue is another great issue. It has articles on: Politics of Political Prisoners and P.O.W.S, 10 years of the Marion Lockdown, War industry in Marion, Lucasville Update and a lot more. This is very important. Subscribe for only $10.00 at: PSC Publishers Po Box 5052, Stn A, Toronto, Ontario Canada M5W 1W4

THE SHADOW (Oct/Dec 1993 Issue #30) $1.00

Another fine issue of this NY newspaper. It has information on Antonio Pagan, Pigs raid 5th anniversary of the Tompkins Square uprising (42 busted) Fierce pussy festival in Tompkins square. It also has the regular Cop watch, Oink, Oink! Anarchist take on KKK in Chattanooga, reprints from various sources and lots more. Worth checkin' out. Subs are $15.00 for 10 Issues at: Shadow Press, Po box 20298, New York, NY 1009 USA.

TAPOL (No. 119 October 1993)

This paper is subtitled, The Indonesia Human Rights Campaign. It is a great Bulletin and is full of information on East Timor, Indigenous peoples and More. Articles that appear are: US links arms sales to human rights, Swedish and Us visits to East Timor, East Timorease prisoners update, New transmigration wave and much, much more. This is worth picking up, write them for subscription rates, because there are different networks across the world, the main one is: TAPOL, 111 Northwood Road, Thornton Heath, Surrey CR7 8HW, UK (Phone (081) 771-2904)

There are a lot more zines that we received, but due to space, we will review them in the next issue, thanks!

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Indigenous peoples' struggle spirals

The UN Year of Indigenous Peoples has passed virtually unnoticed in Indonesia. There was the cultural festival for Asia Pacific tribal people in September, organised by the Riau Provincial Government, the idea being to promote indigenous culture for tourism. Meanwhile the indigenous peoples in the Indonesian archipelago are desperately fighting to defend their lands and livelihoods.

The Asian continent is home to the majority of indigenous peoples on this globe. In Indonesia alone some 300 indigenous peoples can be traced on its 13, 000 islands. They live in the mountains, in the tropical forests and on the coastal plains. Although many Indonesians have been reassessing indigenous peoples, the majority still regard them as primitive, backward, animist and uneducated. This attitude is reflected in the paternalistic policy of the government towards indigenous peoples: they have to be modernised, civilised and permanently resettled to fit into Indonesian society. "Care" of suku-suku terasing (isolated tribes), as they are officially called, falls to the Ministry for Social Affairs. Paternalism is also practised by other government departments - Home Affairs, Transit-migration, Forestry, Education, Health and Public Works. State and private plantation and logging companies, who threaten the livelihood of indigenous peoples most directly, take a similar approach.

Government officials sometimes recognize that "external factors" are squeezing out the indigenous peoples of their natural habitat. Less space means less chance to gather food, less hunting ground, fewer forest commodities, and less to fall back on. And the process of "acculturation" is hardly of benefit to the indigenous peoples: they are pushed off their ancestral grounds, forced to settle elsewhere, and used as cheap labour by the incoming entrepreneurs.

Three quite distinct cases have lately emerged: the struggle of the Bentian people against loggers in the East Kalimantan, the struggle of the Anak Dalam people in Sumatra also against logging companies, and struggle of the Chaay people in Jayapura, West Papua against the local government.

The plight of the Suku Anak Dalam

The Anak Dalam are often described as part of the Kubu tribe, a larger indigenous group living in the same region of Sumatra. Like the Kubu, the Anak Dalam people do not practise agriculture and rely entirely on hunting and gathering for their subsistence. Living in the isolated mountainous region of Bukit Duabelas, Bungotebo district, in the Jambi province of Sumtra, they move from place to place according to the seasons (of fruits and other forest commodities like wax, honey, petai and rattan). A respect for the delicate balance of nature is essential for this way of life, as is evident in the strict traditional rules which apply among them. Anyone caught destroying trees or vegetation is fined, or severe cases banished from the community. Some trees have a special sacred meaning for the forest people. The Anak Dalam people move from place to place (melangun) in small groups of between 5 and 15 families. Two years ago their quiet isolation was disrupted when the government opened the forest for a transmigration site. They moved further inwards. But now the threat is more serious, with logging companies entering the forest at a rapid and destructive pace.

On 12 October the Anak Dalam people allegedly attacked a base camp of PT Intan Petra Darma, a logging company with an HPH, a legal forest concession. The camp was destroyed and its contents taken away. The companies accused the Anak Dalam of behaving aggressively and threatening the loggers with spears. According to press reports, the 7 HPH holders in the Bungotebo district control 731 thousand ha of forest. The entire region has been declared hutan produksi (production forest): the green light has been given for the logging companies to move in.

The struggle of the Bentian people

The Bentian people are one of the many Dayak tribes in Kalimantan. They live in the village of Jelmu Sibak, Kutai district in East Kalimantan. They are shifting cultivators, they belong to the very few tribes who have developed a method of cultivating rattan. Their forest is full of tropical fruit trees like durian, rambutan (sim. lychee), langsat, cempedak (sim. jackfruit), aren (sugar palm), salak (Zalacca), asam (tamarind) and limau (citrus fruit).

An Asmat symbol

Since at least the end of the last century, the Bentian have been cultivating the forest, but in 1992 the government declared that the forest was to be converted into HTI Trans (Hutan Tanaman Industri Transmigrasi) area. The HTI Trans is a relatively new government scheme in which a logging company clear-fells the area so as to later replant it as a monocultural timber estate (eg eucalyptus, accasia) - either for construction, pulp and paper or wood energy. For the timber estate, transmigrants will be used as workers.

In October, the environmental group WALHI accused the logging company of having already bulldozed at least half of the Bentian forest, destroying all the fruit trees, cultivated rattan estates and ancestral burial grounds. The company, PT Hutan Mahligai (a joint venture between the giant Kalimanis group and the state company PT Inhutani) claim that the ladang berpindah (shifting-cultivation rice fields) have not been used for 3 years and are therefore considered as unused, unowned land. As anyone should know, the whole principle of shifting agricultural is to leave land fallow for several years for it to restore its nutrients. The wealth of the trees and rattan developed and owned by the Bentian people has thus simply been ignored.

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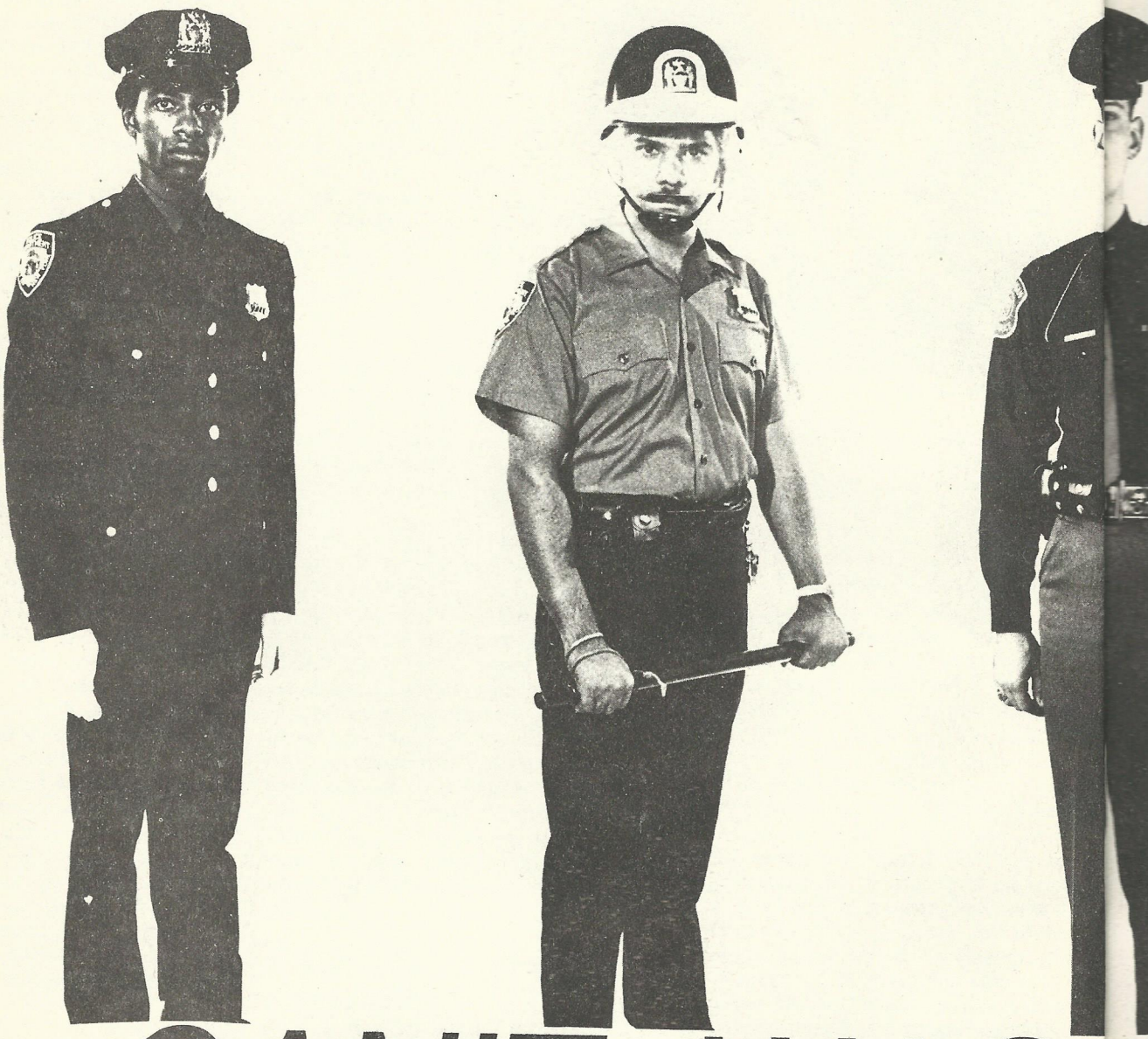

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LAND OF THE FREE?

NOT TO EDDIE HATCHER!

On 1 February 1988, Eddie Hatcher and Timothy Jacobs, both of the Tuscarora Nation, seized the offices of the Robesonian Newspaper in Robeson County, North Carolina. They occupied the building and held 14 employees for 10 1/2 hours.

As the case of Native American Political Prisoner Eddie Hatcher gains more international attention, they are realizing that North Carolina is not such a humane place. North Carolina has one of the highest numbers of hate crimes of any of the 50 states in the u.s.. Eddie had struggled for the rights of Blacks and Natives in Robeson County, an area plagued by racism, institutionalized racism and police brutality. Over a few short years there had been over 20 unsolved murders of Blacks and Natives, and most were killed in execution style.

Northern Carolina and especially the rural farming community had become drenched in cocaine, being known as the "little Miami" of the East Coast. It only figures that Blacks and Natives are being pinpointed and arrested with drug trafficking and being killed.

Eddie, in the past, discovered maps and documents by a Federal Informer who had assisted the FBI and DEA in major drug convictions. These maps and documents were evidence of 34 major business people and law enforcement officers that were part of a major cocaine operation in Robeson County and eastern North Carolina.

When Eddie went to the FBI and DEA for assistance in exposing the operation, he was left empty-handed. He had to fill his own hands and later discovered the government had now conspired to neutralize him and/or kill him.

Eddie had no alternative but to protect himself from the authorities that were trying to get rid of him and his discovery. So, the result was the occupation of the Robesonian Newspaper.

Throughout the 10 1/2 hour occupation, Eddie negotiated with the North Carolina governor and made only four demands: 1) that the Sheriff's department and the local judicial system be fully investigated; 2) that the mysterious deaths of Natives and Blacks in the County be fully investigated; 3) that the recent death of a young Black in the local jail be fully investigated; and 4)" that Eddie Hatcher and Timothy Jacobs are not guilty." (subst.)

Seven weeks later, both were re-indicted on state charges of kidnapping. During this period Eddie's home was shot at, he'd received death threats, and state and local police harassed organizers and attenders of anti-racist meetings against the governments racism and the Sheriff's part in the cocaine operation.

During the second trial, Jacobs was convicted and sentenced to six years. Hatcher, who has not been allowed an attorney and was constantly hampered in his own defense by the judges, was convicted and sentenced to 18 years as a part of a plea bargain.

Since the second trial, Eddie has been transferred to the Southern Correctional Institute in Troy, the state's control unit. In 1991, he tested positive for the HIV virus, contracted since his imprisonment. On September 10, 1991 Hatcher was attacked and stabbed four times with an ice pick by a prisoner who had no prior association with him. Eddie suffered a punctured lung and needed hospital care. On October 8, the prisoner who stabbed Eddie wrote to the North Carolina State Bureau of Investigation and the Raleigh News and Observer stating he had been contracted by certain prison officials to "take care of Hatcher." In payment he was to be promoted custody rights, which weren't fulfilled. The prisoner stated he wasn't going to be, "the fall guy".

BOYCOTT NORTH CAROLINA

The top North Carolina furniture industries who have contributed to and supported officials such as Jesse Helms, who filed Amicus Brief's against Hatcher. North Carolina is known internationally for: Human Rights Violations, The Ku Klux Klan. The Furniture Industries, Tourism, Jesse Helms and Governor James Hunt, who instructed the parole commission to continue to hold political prisoner Eddie Hatcher. There is an international boycott called against North Carolina. BOYCOTT: Broyhill Furniture Industries. c/o Interco Inc./101 South Hanley RD/ St.Louis, MO 63105....North Carolina's Travel & Tourism. 430 N.Salisbury Street/Raleigh, NC 27603 (1-800-847-4862)... Thomasville Furniture Industries. 401 East Main Street/Thomasville, NC 27360....Governor James Hunt Office of the Governor. Raleigh, NC 27603...all in the USA.

UPDATE

Eddie Hatcher has been denied parole for the fourth time. Each time, one of the reasons used by the parole commission to deny Eddie parole, has been their refusal to allow Eddie to return to Robeson County. Therefore, to provide a home-plan and workplace for Eddie outside of Robeson County his mother, Thelma Clark, moved to a nearby County, Richmond County. She met with parole commissioners Ms P. Stamey and Ms J. Baker [chairman] on November 2, 1993. They knew of Ms. Clarks move to Richmond County, where she provided a home type-setting for a small printing business, where Eddie could remain home at all times. She even asked about house arrest. [Confined to the home costing the taxpayer NOTHING!!]

Eddie has served over five years on an eighteen year sentence. It is proven that other people serving time for violent crimes have been granted parole quicker than Eddie, who has no prior record, no prior convictions and who was found not guilty in a federal court, still remains in prison. Is the justice, NO! Is this injustice,

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FREE EDDIE HATCHER
NATIVE AMERICAN POLITICAL PRISONER

Kalimanis is owned by Bob Hasan, often nicknamed "King of the Jungle", one of the very few privileged businessmen in Indonesia who can drop in on Suharto unannounced. Timber tycoon Bob Hasan owns two huge pulp and paper factories in East Kalimantan and fresh supplies of timber are always welcome.

The scheme to set up timber estates in East Kalimantan is an ambitious one, and regarded with much scepticism by environmental groups in Jakarta. Not only do monocultural plantations raise serious environmental concerns, but they provide the excuses for otherwise prohibited logging. Once cleared, forest areas are rarely replanted with new seedlings for timber estates.

The pressure on the Bentian people is not new; they have been appealing against the loggers with letters and visits to the local authorities with negligible results but reports in the national press and pressure from Jakarte NGOs are a new ray of hope.

The Chaay people's lawsuit

The spokesperson for the Chaay is Rev. Silas Chaay who has taken three government institutions and a construction company to court. The provincial government, the municipal government of Jayapura, the National Land Board (BPN) and the private company PT Jayapura Pasifik Permai are charged, in this precedented case, with unlawful possession of the tanah ulayat (traditional land) of the indigenous Chaay, also known as the masyarakat adat Kayu Pulo (community of the Pulo tree tradition). It is not only the strategic Yos Sudarso Bay which is claimed by the Chaay people but also sea territory in the bay which is called Numbiai Raro in the local language.

In 1991, the construction company PT Jayapura began digging white sand from the beach, despite many protests. According to the present plans, the Yos Sudarso Bay will be converted into a huge business opportunity. An investment of Rp250 billion (US$125 million) is planned by PT Jayapura.

Rev Silas Chaay has a strong case: the Dutch administration recognised the claims of the Chaay. LBH lawyer Bambang Widjojanto confirms that the indigenous peoples on the island of West Papua have traditional rights to the coastal waters. Such rights do not exist in Indonesian law.

Different cases, same principles

These three cases on three different islands involve three different indigenous peoples. But there are similarities. Logging, plantations, agribusiness, accelerated industrial expansion - all are bringing indigenous peoples into conflict with the outside world on a massive scale. Although traditional rights are nominally recognised in Indonesian law, thee three examples show how these adat rights are being trampled upon. For the sake of development and economic growth, indigenous peoples are being sacrificed.

Another source of devastation for indigenous peoples in Indonesia looms. On 4 December President Suharto will announce a new programme of TSM (Transmigrasi Swakarsa Mandiri, or Self-initiated Transmigration) which will aim to develop "empty" plots of land as transmigration sites, later forcing the forest dwellers like the Anak Dalam to resettle there too. This scheme, it is feared, will create at least as much havoc and upheaval as the ambitious transmigration programme of the 1980s.

Source: Tempo 16 October 1993 & 30 October 1993, Kompas 18 October 1993. (from TAPOL Bulletin No. 120 December 1993)

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100% YES!

HOW YOU CAN HELP

1) Write letters to the CEO's of Broyhill and Thomasville Furniture and advise them that until justice is rendered in the case of Native American Political Prisoner Eddie Hatcher (officially recognized as a political prisoner by the North Carolina Council of Churches) and the human rights violations in North Carolina cease, you shall lobby faithfully against their products.

2) Write to North Carolina's Travel and Tourism, and inform them that you shall faithfully lobby travellers against visiting or spending any money in North Carolina as long as Injustice and Human Rights violations prevail in the Eddie Hatcher case. Also call the nationwide toll free number 1-800-847-4862.

3) Send copies of your letters to: Governor Jim Hunt State Capitol, Raleigh, N.C., 27603-8001.

4) Contact the many television game-shows which promote Broyhill Furniture and Thomasville Furniture and demand that they discontinue their support of these products, explaining the need to do so.

5) Contact groups and organizations in your area about the BOYCOTT and ask that they help spread the word.

6) Write the governor of your state or officials within your country and demand that no business be transacted between your state or country and North Carolina until the injustices and human rights violations are fully addresses in the Eddie Hatcher case.

7) Write letters to the editors of area newspapers informing readers of the boycott.

8) Send for packets of flyers [from EHDC] to distribute in your area.

9) Set up a support group in your area. (send for packet)

These are no means a barrier for your help, and if your actions go beyond the EHDC's list, do it! We have to free Eddie Hatcher!

For more information, and a thanks for your support contact:
Eddie Hatcher Defense Committee
Po Box 1492
Hamlet, NC 28345
USA
Tel (910) 582-8113
Fax (910) 582-0017

PERSONAL INVENTATION TO LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD:

DATE: MARCH 5, 1994
TIME: 10:00am - 6:00pm

CANDLELIGHT VIGIL FROM 6pm TIL 8pm

LOCAL AND NATIONAL SPEAKERS
WHERE?: GOVERNORS MANSION, BLOUNT ST, RELEIGH, NC, USA
OR START YOUR OWN!!!

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT E.H.D.C.

RAPE

This article was contributed to Animadverse by a woman who wants to remain anonymous. If anyone wants to write on the issue of rape, or has any response to the article, then contact us at the po box number.(editorial)

This article is about being raped. I am writing this because I want to share my experiences in hope to help other wimmin dealing with rape and to encourage them to speak out against their attackers. However, the main reason I decided to contribute this article to Animadverse was to help me. This is something I have to release from within myself, and this is the best way for me to discuss what happened to me. I cannot describe in detail the actual rapes, for I am still not ready to paint that picture for you to see. My intentions for this is not for other wimmin to follow me in the way I have dealt with being raped, but to just read this and perhaps decide if you would have done the same as I, and to learn from my mistakes.

I was raped twice when I was 14. It was by two men at different times, four months apart. The first time, I had a get-together at my house. A few of my friends invited a few of their's and so on. To make it short, at the end of the night I went to my room to go to sleep, but I was greeted with a hand wrapped around my throat. After he raped me, he continued to lay on me so I could not get up, until finally he left about 2 or 3 hours later. As soon as he left, I went straight to the bathroom. I was bleeding, there were bite marks on my breasts, stomach, and on the inside of my legs, and I had an extremely red, sore throat. I was terrified, to say the least. I felt disgusting, ashamed, for me this was the worst thing anyone could possibly do to me. I didn't know what I was supposed to do. Was I supposed to tell a friend, the cops, my parents? I couldn't decide, so I did nothing.

The second time, it was just as bad. Perhaps worse, considering this person was someone I thought was a friend. It was planned out I figure, he had called me earlier that week to have me over for lunch with him and his partner. When I showed up, he was the only one there, and there was no lunch. I was uncomfortable about being there alone, but he was a friend so I didn't think to much of it. Before I knew what was going on, he had forced me in his room and it was all happening again. Afterwards, he asked me if I would mind giving him a blow-job. I couldn't believe it! Obviously I refused, and he replied with "your lucky, I like you, so I'll give you that choice". He went to have a shower with a big smile, I ran out and went home. Once again I was bleeding, I had bite marks on my body and several bruises on my arms.

I think I went "insane" at that point, I couldn't handle it so I just blocked it all out. I found out later that he beat his partner often and shared her sexually with his friends without her consent. I was also told by a friend that he raped another womyn who also never pressed charges against him.

Now, years later, I still have not taken any form of action against the men who raped me, and I don't know if I ever will. I don't believe I could gain anything by going to the police. How could I possibly ever trust the police, most of them abuse and rape wimmin too. Also, since so much time has past, and the fact that I was raped by two men, four months apart gives me the indication that I would not be believed. In court, I would be branded as a "promiscuous womyn who was probably wearing something skimpy". I also knew one of them, and we all know when a womyn is raped by someone she knows, juries usually come to the conclusion that the womyn was being a "tease", "saying no but meaning yes" or had a bad relationship with them , and just trying to get even. I also fear for my safety if I exposed them. There are wimmin who press charges against the rapist and win, but even if they win, a large amount of them are killed by the men they had charged. I also don't know if I could cope with the humiliation of my friends and family knowing I was raped. I wouldn't want them to not support me or treat me differently. (I did actually tell my best friend about a year after I was raped, and do you know what that persons reaction was? "Yeah Right". They did not believe me, at first. After it clicked in, I got a little support, but not much. I think that reaction has somewhat of an impact on my feelings to remain silent. If my own friend didn't believe me, who else will?

I don't really know if what I've written here can possibly help or be any kind of inspiration to other wimmin, for the men who did his to me walk free, and feel no pain from what they've done. The best thing, and perhaps the only thing I can do is support wimmin who have been raped, and continue on without letting my pain get in the way of living my life. I do not encourage wimmin to choose the same path as I have, but to think about all your options carefully, and to choose the right thing for you. If you decide to go to the police and press charges, use all your strength, your going to need it. Whatever you decide, don't regret it, take it all the way, and never look back. I have not taken revenge against the men who destroyed a part of me, but my time will come and they will get theirs!

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bery, after holding a person hostage. The cops thought he had a Colt.45 semi-automatic gun, which was later discovered to be a pellet gun.

A 17 year old youth, who's name wasn't released was shot 19 September, 1991. Him and five others were chased after fleeing a stolen van. No charges were laid against police.

Jonathan Howell was shot in the head by a cop 9 November, 1991. He was shot after police were investigating a B&E. Const. pig Carl Sokolowski was charged with criminal negligence causing bodily harm and careless use of a firearm.

Royan Bagnaut was shot in the arm by a pig 3 December, 1991. He was being chased with three robbery suspects. Bagnault was charged with robbery. Sgt. pig Douglas Lines was charged with aggravated assault and discharging a gun with intent to wound.

The people listed above are only a small number of people facing police violence. But they all share a common relation; all of the people listed above are people of colour. These examples are not "pick and choose" to depict the racist mentalities of cops, but they are facts. In Montreal a report was issued that said there was a totally unacceptable level of racism in the Montreal police force. This report was issued after Marcellus Francois was murdered when a pig SWAT team officer mistakened him for a murder suspect. Sgt. pig Michel Tremblay murdered Francois in the back seat of a car swarmed by the pigs. Trembley thought Francois was reaching for a gun, but of course, there was no gun found. Cops were also heard making racist comments such as, "nigger" and "blackies" while trailing the car that Francois was in. The actual suspect the cops were looking for had long, Rastafarian dreads, Francois's hair was short.

The majority of cops are racist and it goes with the job. A lot of people might say, "Well, you do the crime you do the time." or "All of your examples are crime-bitten thugs who have nothing better to do!" Right? Wrong! We know the society we live in of institutional racism and authoritative advantage is a neo-capitalist society which will always foster and breed the motive of crime. (Including all authoritative societies). Since the majority of crime is from a classist position we can see the struggle of the under classes resisting. A lot of the crimes that are mentioned are crimes of poverty. This is where society and authority breed certain crimes, such as theft and employment disrupt. We can only see this as a security and enforcement of repressive underprivileged racism.

We are not saying that crime is alright, but it will always happen under this society, and therefore the underprivileged, such as wimmin, queers and people of colour are going to receive the worst. But certain crimes are unacceptable. Anti-social acts, such as racial or sexual attacks will always be unacceptable, the government or police don't see these crimes as vicious as other crimes, and sexual offenders and racists don't often get as harsh a sentence as a car-theft or robbery.

We are going to see more and more counterattacks against police in the future. In October two pigs were shot and murdered. On 27 October Const. pig Joseph Macdonald, was gunned down in Sudbury Ontario, after stopping a car, which was said to be a "routine check." One day later a cop in Alberta Canada was hit by a car in a car chase. It was third cop killed this year in Canada. According to the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, there was 5907 assaults on police officers last year, up from 5089 in 1982. Way to go!!! The police who are supposedly protecting the people have often been proven enemies of the people. The act of small actions undertaken by individuals or groups of individuals against the police (And other hierarchical structures) are all proof of a struggle breaking out against authority. This struggle is one of the most organized and self-controlled struggle, the one closest to yourself. The most, reproducible, available to carry out, and sometimes, and most often, the most dangerous. We can stop these pigs, and we must point out there disgusting mentalities where ever possible. "Fuck the police!"

A Climate of Fear

The past few months have seen a marked increase in the number of violent attacks on people of colour in Metro Toronto, particularly experienced by this city's Tamil community.

Throughout a two-week period during the month of June, one Tamil was murdered and two others critically injured. One of the victims was beaten into a temporary coma and partially paralyzed by a neo-nazi who attended a fascist concert sponsored by the Heritage Front, featuring RAHOWA (Racial Holy War). The Heritage Front a white-supremacist group which is primarily active in Toronto, recruiting and organizing disenfranchised white youth. With a strong anti-immigration platform, the HF envisions the "forced removal" of racial, ethnic, sexual and religious minorities towards a "pure" all-white society.

Historically, the far right in Canada has used the issue of immigration as an avenue to reach mainstream politics, as well as taking issues one step further in fuelling the fires of hatred against people of colour. As economic restructuring and welfare cuts drive the poor and working classes into absolute despair, immigrants suffer the frustrations of an authoritarian and xenophobic backlash. This climate of fear is utilized by the far-right, but it is the inherent racism visible in the political justice system itself which perpetuates this climate.

The Relationship of the Right and the State

The far right is making use of this climate of fear on two fronts. They are recruiting and increasing their membership while at the same time, pushing their violent attacks against identifiable minorities on the street level, far enough to test their limits. The politicians are caving in to these demands and use them to justify restrictive border controls. Groups like the HF work along parallel lines in developing a common culture which defines all third people as immigrants and refugees, and all immigrants and refugees as criminals and terrorists.

For the electoral benefit of politicians, the portrayal of refugees as a mass of undesirables has been detriment to mainstream Western/European politics and successfully diverts attention from the actual causes of mass-migration. The initial displacement of millions of people all over the world has been caused in significant part by the ever-increasing domination of transnational corporation of the economies of third world countries. This provided the wealthy continents with populations available for recruitment as cheap labour, where they face further marginalization in a society that excludes minorities from many societal processes.

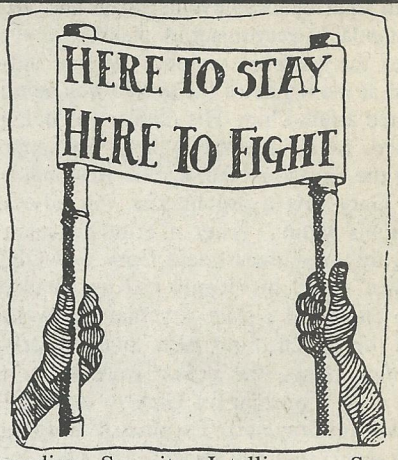
The factors of criminalization, poor housing, low-income jobs or unemployment, racist educational and justice systems contribute to the overwhelming numbers of minorities in our prisons. Maintaining the portrayal of refugees and immigrants as "economic parasites", lays the groundwork for racist attacks on their communities in these times of economic strife. Ironically enough, it is Western society in its xenophobic policies against the all-too-easy-prey of welfare recipients and foreigners, that is parasitical. The ingrained racist conditioning of society is what the ruling powers are actively trying to maintain and thereby protect economic superiority which stands at the root of the problem to begin with. In the present political climate, the right-wing attacks on foreigners serve the state by fuelling media hype and hysteria around the refugee issue.

The New Europe

Within the borders of rich, predominantly christian, white nations of the European Community, politicians are scraping the policy of refuge, blaming the influx of new arrivals for fuelling neo-nazi violence and draining social welfare coffers. Since the onset of this coordinated E.C. assault on illegal immigration, the fires have been fanned as neo-nazi murders and attacks have been on the upsurge. Immigration clampdowns are tacit government support for the racist premise that foreigners bring nothing but misery. Europe's Asylum policies are seen not as issues of human rights, but as a matter of national security and strict control of the movements and activities of "second-class" citizens. The framework for a system of regulation has been in the building stage for quite some time to establish a controlled fortress Europe.

On the Homefront

As Europe slams its doors hut on immigration, North American follows suit within the world economy of redesigned borders and territories. Under Canada's present Act, the issues of immigration are in the hands of police agencies that deal with criminal enforcement specifically. the



Canadian Security Intelligence Service (CSIS) recently issued a proposal to cut immigration numbers to 250,000 to 150,000. Detrimental life and death issues of refugees and immigration are controlled by an agency which has no valid background and no apparent interest in minority affairs; an administration that prosecutes in the category of "drug-dealers, gun-runners and terrorists".

Strategies

In order for the North American anti-fascist movement to be successful, it is important for anti-racist initiatives and strategies to remain active on two fronts. Firstly, the fascists must be confronted physically on a street level to prevent their cancerous growth within the community. Secondly, the fight must be simultaneously be directed against the internal controls of the state, which is in itself inherently racist and repressive in its policies and treatment of minority issues. When the presence of neo-nazi activity is eventually eliminated on a street level, anti-racist activists must not cease their activity. This has traditionally been the mistake of the anti-racist initiative, for while the state-sponsored conditions remain intact, there will always be fertile ground for further fascist growth. While organizing the community against the threat of far-right activity, concrete support must be extended to working alongside refugees and people of colour, using means which fit the conditions under which they live.

OPEN BORDERS AND ASYLUM RIGHTS FOR ALL! SMASH THE HERITAGE FRONT!

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tent of Garys's injuries in his medical statement.

In light of these events Gary was, understandably very upset. A wall of silence about the extreme violence he had suffered at the hands of the police was being erected around him. His reality was being denied. In an attempt to help him cope with the emotional damage he was enduring, Gary saw a psychiatrist, (on advice from his family) After a brief consultation, this psychiatrist said Gary was OK. At that stage, his family did not realise how closely the state psychiatrists work with the police. Four days later in early morning hours, the police were at their door with a warrant for Gary to be incarcerated in Graylands Psychiatric hospital for a week-long assessment. The psychiatrists, Drs. Lister and Kirkman, quickly told Gary that his "story" about being bashed and framed by the police was false and that he was suffering paranoid delusions.

Gary was held in Graylands "maximum security", for a month, during which time he was subjected to chemical assault with the drug Chlorpromazine. This drug is used to control people alleged to have acute schizophrenia. The drug made Gary feel as if he had been poisoned, one of the side effects being as if his eyes were being burned, causing vision impairment. Gary felt that the doctors were generating a professional push to suicide. (Suicidal feelings being one of the side effects of the psychiatric drug.)

In late 1987, Gary pleaded NOT GUILTY to the trumped-up charge of break and enter, City Beach kiosk. Lawyers told him to plead guilty to the fabricated charge, "in order to stay out of prison." (It is apparent that many lawyers think the magistrates and judges would rather protect the false public image of police, than make open admission the fact of police corruption and violence in court-and would rather sacrifice innocent citizens than shake the mythical "public confidence" in the police.)

Gary was convicted. On appeal the conviction was upheld. Gary paid six and a half thousand dollars to receive this injustice, having to sell everything he owed to pay for it.

In early 1988 Gary was subjected to more victimization by police, while sitting in a friends car. One of the policemen was the same arresting officer from when Gary was first bashed. He was pulled from the car, dragged and "elbowed" in the jaw repeatedly by a Constable Smith. A friend attended the police station with Gary to help him avoid more beatings.

On the 13th. of August, 1991, while Gary was walking into town, a police car began following him. Gary was briefly questioned before being kneed in the groin, when he fell he was kicked in the head and back and punched by several of them. He sustained a cracked rib, bruising and a severe lump on his head.

In horror at all that he had been subjected to, and in an attempt to break through the wall of silence which is put up around nearly all citizens who are subjected to police violence and corruption, Gary began to speak out in public. He sat in protest on the steps of parliament house, handing out leaflets, explaining briefly, what he had been subjected to at the hands of the police-medical-legal system. Gary had contacted the media, approached parliamentarians, complained to the ombudsman, contacted Civil Liberties and Human Rights. None of these actions resulted in Gary getting justice.

The frightening treatment Gary had received, made him fear for his life. In order to defend himself from the violence of the police, he got a gun. When the police next raided his house, in his absence, he was charged with possession of that firearm. Gary was due to appear in court on the 28th of April 1993 on charges relating to this raid.

From his previous experiences, Gary knew the court would not listen to reason or truth and that there was no possibility of receiving justice in court for this act of self defence. He knew he had to bring wider attention to his plight. On the night of the 27th of April 1993 Gary took deliberate action to smash through the wall of silence which the police-medical-legal system erects around those who are abused by police, so that people generally could begin to know what had happened.

Gary took an 11 tonne armoured personnel carrier from the Irwin Army Barracks in the Perth suburb of karracutta, driving through pre-dawn streets to Wembley CIB where, at 4:42am, he used the tank to ram a police car through the garage wall of this police station he had been bashed in. He then rammed a second police van there into a street light pole. Driving on into the city and to police headquarters, he smashed the tank through heavy metal gates then rammed six police vehicles and a motorcycle, avoiding actual police. Then he drove to the central law courts, smashing into the front of this building where he had been denied justice by magistrate Ronald Gething, who had refused to even listen to how Gary had been bashed and framed.

His now famous protest made the news in New York and London.

Gary harmed no person at all. In court, following his arrest, Gary tried to speak of the many injustices he had endured. The court was packed with those who supported Gary and his daring action. The magistrate, however didn't want to hear about injustice, denying Gary a voice, he was silenced again then remanded in Casurina prison, held in isolation and segregation. A bail application was pursued but repeatedly delayed by lost paperwork.

On the 25th of August, under authorization from prison doctors and Graylands psychiatrist Kevin Smith, a dozen prison guards entered Gary's cell, held him to the ground and forcibly injected the potent neuroleptic (nerve seizing) drug Fluphenazine. Forensic and prison psychiatrists continue to deny the truth of what Gary has experienced, claiming that he is having "paranoid delusions". They also claim that the fact that he is not responding positively to them, is further proof (for them) that he is merely imagining things.

The neuroleptic drugs are the most potent of all psychiatric drugs. They can cause permanent brain damage. Fluphenazine acts on all levels of the central nervous system, and on many body organs. Its mode of action is unknown except that it acts on part of the brains muscle control system, causing loss of control over many muscles, producing an effect similar to the uncontrollable jerking and shaking of parkinsons disease. The effects of Gary at present are memory loss, jaw crunching, muscle spasms, restricted motor movements, dribbling, compliancy, complacency, minimal attention span, speech impairment, excessive drowsiness, incapacity to think clearly or concentrate.

The fact that Gary has become more compliant and complacent to both the doctors and the legal systems demands marks, in their terms, that Gary's "condition" has "improved" while on medication. Graylands doctor Jeremy O'Dea intends to keep Gary on Fluephenazine for twelve months without review. Fluephenazine, in effect, is a Chemical Lobotomy.

On the first of November, 1993, solicitor Henry Sklarz entered a plea of guilty, on Gary's behalf. The fact that Gary was bashed and continually tormented by police still remains irrelevant to the "justice" system. Judge Biol is withholding sentence till the 17th of December and indicated he may make not comprehend that the "psychiatric report" authorized from

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BRIEFS

ALF NEWS...

Support Needed- Grand Jury Jails Another

On October 5, 1993 Kim Trimview was jailed for refusing to testify to the grand jury in Spokane, WA. Kim an animal activist from Oregon was charged with civil contempt after her third appearance at the Spokane, WA grand jury. The grand jury is "investigating" the successful activities of the Animal Liberation Front and is one of several which have been subpoenaing activists in Washington, Oregon, Michigan, Utah, and Louisiana states. Earlier in 1993, Kim was also subpoenaed to the Eugene, OR grand jury twice for her photograph, fingerprints, handwriting and hair samples. Letters and cards of support are desperately needed, send to: Kim Trimview, Spokane County Jail, 1100 W. Mallon, Spokane, WA 99260, USA. Also money is needed to help activists with legal and other expenses, donations can be sent payable to "A.L.F.S.G."

Rik Scarce Still Behind Bars

Since May 14, 1993, Rik Scarce has been in jail charged with civil contempt for refusing to answer questions to the grand jury in Spokane, WA investigating the Animal Liberation Front. Rik is a writer and Ph.D. candidate in sociology at Washington State University. His 1990 book "Eco-Warriors: Understanding the Radical Environmental Movement" included interviews with A.L.F. and Earth First! activists. Rik has recently had another motion for release dismissed. Letters and cards of support are still needed, send to: James R. Scarce, Spokane County Jail, 1100 W. Mallon, Spokane, WA 99260, USA

Darren Thurston Free (for a while?)

On September 3, 1993, after being held 14 1/2 months in Edmonton Remand Centre, Darren Thurston received a suspended sentence and two year's probation. He was also ordered to pay restitution of $26, 725 for damage to the University and $47,000 for damage to fish company property.

Darren entered "guilty" pleas on August 19, 1993, to two counts; Break and Enter to commit theft over $1000 in concerning the June 1, 11992, Animal Liberation Front liberation of 29 cats from the University of Alberta Ellerslie Research Station and Arson concerning the December 14, 1991, Animal Liberation Front action where Billingsgate Fish Company had three trucks burned.

Through the released police reports and preliminary trial it was learned that the police obtained all of their information after asking a "suspect" if she would like to answer some questions. The informant Jessica Michelle Charlotte Sandham (31 Jan. '73) of Calgary, Alberta answered questions and made a statement on video for 4 1/2 hours. At Darren's preliminary trial January 11-14, 1993, the informant Sandham testified against Darren and other "alleged" Animal Liberation Front activists.

On October 1, 1993, Darren was served with a Notice of Appeal. the Prosecutor has appealed Darren's sentencing on the grounds that "the judge failed to impose a sentence which reflected the principle of general deterrence." The appeal is expected to be scheduled for some time in December. The Prosecutor has stated they will be seeking a sentence of three years.

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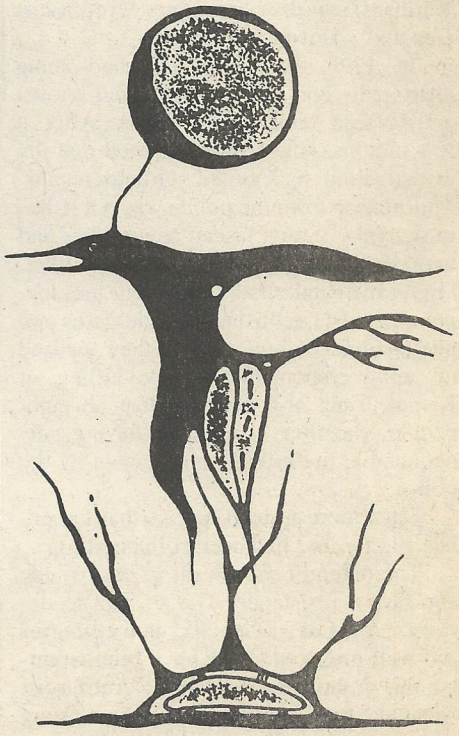
UPDATE ON DAVID REDWOLF

If you have read previous issues of Animadverse before, then your probably familiar with the David Redwolf case. Well, there was just a warrant issued for his arrest. The warrant was issued because Redwolf doesn't accept Canada's Immigration Act. Nor does he want Canadian citizenship or status under the Indian Act. Redwolf believes as a First Nations person, he has a right to be here. This would have been the third time David Redwolf would have faced an immigration hearing. He still refuses, and is also being tried by the Department of Indian Affairs, considering if Redwolf is "entitled" to registration as an Indian.

In November 1992 Redwolf was charged with "overstaying" his visit to Canada. He holds a card stating he is a North American Indian. For more information on David Redwolf contact the Animadverse address.



BRIEFS

Anti-Fascists aresseted for murder in Berlin

On 15. November the police arrested four anti-fascists in Berlin. They searched several apartments and are still looking for an unknown number of anti-fascists.

Those arrested have been accused of murder, attempted murder, abetting a murder and assault. They were arrested on the basis of statements given to the police by a person who said that s/he was one of the assailants. The identity of this person is still unknown.

The four anti-fascists are accused of murdering Gerhard Kaindl, a high-ranking member of the German fascist party, "Deutsche Liga fur Volk und eimat" (DL). The DL is a fascist group that has made attempts to unify the different individual fascists and fascist groups in Germany. Kaindl was stabbed to death in April 1992 during a fascist meeting. The German federal police only investigated one possibility: that the murder was the work of the militant anti-fascist resistance. In particular, the police investigated the Kurdish/Turkish antifa group "Antifascist Genclik" (Anti-fascist youth).

In 1992 the police searched some apartments and kept several well-known anti-fascists under surveillance. After a few months, newspapers reported that the investigation had ended without results. Information from the police was published in several different fascist newspapers and magazines, however. In October, 1992, "Deutsche Rundschau", the party newspaper of the DL published the addresses and photos of several people that they accused of being responsible for the killing of Kaindl. They also reported that all eight people who they accused of having participated in the killing were known by the police.

Once more it was obvious that the police and fascists had been collaborating.

The federal police want to destroy the anti-fascist resistance. The attempt to destroy, "Antifascist Genclik" is well-aimed and well-prepared. They have been targeting this group for a long time. "Antifascist Glenclik" have proven itself to be a group with a strong base among Kurdish and Turkish youth. Also, they had a public image of being militant in their stand against racism and fascism and were therefore easy to target.

The strategy is well-known: Some supposed "leader" is arrested and prosecuted, a group is blamed for the incident and a repressive political climate is created which is supposed to prevent collective political action. The media supports this climate and includes more and more people. By this threat they hope to prevent solidarity-work with the people who are political or with the imprisoned people.

Preventing solidarity and splitting the movement are some of the tools of the federal police.

The strategy of the federal police is now obvious. They are focusing the blame not only on our arrested comrades and on, "Antifascist Glenclik", but on the whole anti-fascist movement in Berlin, which is an important part of the left as a whole in Berlin.

Therefore:

ORGANIZE SOLIDARITY WITH THE ARRESTED AND PROSECUTED

FREEDOM FOR ALL ANTI-FASCIST FRIENDS

DEATH TO FASCISM

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ANARCHY IN JAPAN

1993 SEPT - OCT.

1. Aug/ Tokyo

Rockabilly Rock 'n Rollers who dance and twist on the street around Yoyogi Park on Sundays, confronted with Iranian workers, and citizen group Inoken who works for human rights. Rock 'n Rollers have shown up violently chanting "Troublemaking Iranians must go home!".

Two (2) members from Inoken have been brutally arrested by mobilized riot police who came to "prevent citizens confrontations". Consequently, series of researches were made by police due to that day of arrests

An Iranian who happened to be at Inoken office, was caught and deported as "illegal staying".

6. Aug/ Hiroshima

Anarchists, anti-militarists an anti-authoritarians have gathered for "8.6 HIROSHIMA MEETING" which is held every 6th August the day the atomic bomb was dropped. The meeting is organized by "anti-war, anti-state meeting executive committee". A rally has also been organized.

10. Aug - 5. Sep/ Tokyo

An exhibition in memory of Osugi Sakae 70th year after his death happened. Osugi was one of the most famous anarchists in Japan, and was murdered by military police in 1923. Many photos, materials and drawings were displayed at the hall. The total number of attendance counted 2000 showed he still highly fascinates many people.

9. Sep/ Tokyo

A meeting demanding the release for Katuhisa Omori was organized by Omori Defense Group. Omori was Fabricatedly arrested and was accussed of a bomb attack aganist Hokkaido Pref. hall in 1976. He has been taken in custody for about 15 years now. He was sententened to death in the first and second trial. The judge has notified the limit of oral proceedings for the last instance which should be made up to 6, June 1994.

Omori Defense Group calls for a petition. Actions will be organized next june against the Supreme Court.

23. Sep/ Tokyo

Riot cops were mobilized to arrest "illegal staying" foreigners, mainly Iranians. Twenty-two (22) people were arrested being accused of "possesion of fake made telephone cards and dealing drugs".

Sixty-five (65) were caught as "overstaying", and deported immediately.

Info from the Warror (ARP)

Draft Resistance in Poland

In many European countries, the fight against the military draft involves the struggle for "alternative service," ie. -civilian service work for those who refuse to be forced into mandatory military service. In Poland this was fought in the 80s by Freedom and Peace, and various anarchist groups. They thought they had won the struggle, but now the state is imprisoning draft resisters once again.

Recently, Roman Galuszko was sentenced to 1 1/2 years, and Piotr Krzyzanowski and Piotr Dawidziak to 1 year each. Various anarchist, peace, green, and human rights organizations have launched a campaign for their release, and are asking fro international support.

Please send letters demanding the release of the three, and an end to forced military training to: ***Lech Walesa, Wiejska 10, Warszawa, poland.***

For more information, contact: ***Association "Objector", 50-040 Wroclaw, Ul. Pilsuskiego 15/17, pok. 15, Piatki godz. 17-19, Poland*** or ***Jacek Sierpinski, Info Office of Polish Anarchist Federation, c/o An Arche, Uniwersytet Slaski, Bankowa 12, 40-007 Katowice, Poland***

Ecuador Grabs Native lands for Oil

In a classic marriage of government and big business, the president of Ecuador is encouraging two different oil companies to destroy forests and wetlands which either belong to natives or are parts of national parks. The Dallas-based Maxus Energy Corp. is pursuing a major project in the Ecuadorian Amazon, which includes Huaorani and Quichua lands, Yasuni National Park and the Cuyabeno Wildlife Reserve. Industrial projects like this one are seen as a threat to native cultures because of the pollution, hostile outsiders, and wage labour system that come with them. already roads have been constructed into lands which used to be essentially inaccessible and several areas have been contaminated by multiple chemical spills and drilling mud. Two rivers have been dragged and had rocks taken from them, causing erosion in both river systems. Large areas are beginning to suffer from deforestation.

The state oil company of Ecuador, Petroecuador, is also in the race to destroy forest land. Petroecuador had been working in the Cuyabeno Wildlife Reserve and reapplied to INEFAN (the state agency responsible for the preservation of parks and forests) for permission to continue its activities there. Their request was denied, the first time in Ecuador that an oil company has been told to stop business in an area due to environmental concerns.

However, President Sixto Duran Ballen has different ideas about Pertoecuador. On Aug. 20 Ballen reversed INFEAN's ruling and told the Petroecuador to resume activities in the Cuyabano Reserve. The President's actions appear to be illegal under Ecuador's Forestry Law, and some action against his ruling is expected. The environmental devastation of the reserve, which includes five oil spills in the past two years in the northwest region alone, will continue and probably increase now that Ballen has made his commitment to the oil industry clear. For more info contact:

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(taken from Love and Rage)

PROTEST AGAINST GEORGE BUSH!- AMBUSHED!

On 10 December, 93' a demonstration was held against George Bush at Carmens Banquet Hall in Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. Bush, who was there to speak on "health care" issues, and raise money for health care, attracted quite a crowd who payed $125 a plate to listen to him ramble. About $85,000 was bled out of the meals and air wasting speech.

Over 150 people came to show there hatred for Bush, with signs, pamphlets, and even an anti-imperialist banner(Left). There was loud drums, whistles and a lot of loud shouting to intimidate and irritate the (de) function. The demonstration started at the main gate of the banquet hall where people yelled at those in there furs and fancy limousines. Uniformed and undercover police presence was large, and a rather cocky bunch they were.(A common attitude for Hamilton pigs.) As more demonstrators arrived, it spread-out to all of the entrances where cars were going in. Cops were almost pushed to the limit when demonstrators blocked traffic into Carmen's. Old men were seen flagging the fist at demonstrators, which proved it was all worth while. "Health Care Yes! George Bush No. No one was hurt or arrested. Too bad, the Bush wasn't cut down!

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prisoners of war and wounded and to maintain military honour and ethics. We reiterate our invitation to you to abandon the ranks of the oppressive government and to join the just cause of the people - a people that, as you yourselves have proven, only longs to live with justice or die with dignity. We have respected the live of soldiers and police that have surrendered to our forces. You take pleasure in summarily executing Zapatistas that you find wounded, unable to fight, and those who surrender. If you begin to attack our families and don't respect the lives of prisoners and the wounded, then we will do the same.

To the Mexican people:

Finally, we call on workers, poor peasants, teachers, students, progressive and honest intellectuals, house wives and professionals, and to all independent political and economic organizations to join our struggle and to struggle with all possible means until we achieve the justice and freedom that all Mexicans desperately want.

WE WILL NOT TURN IN OUR ARMS!

WE WANT JUSTICE, NOT FORGIVENESS NOR HANDOUTS!

From the mountains of Southeastern Mexico.

Indigenous Clandestine Revolutionary Committee.

General Command of the EZLN

Mexico, January, 1994

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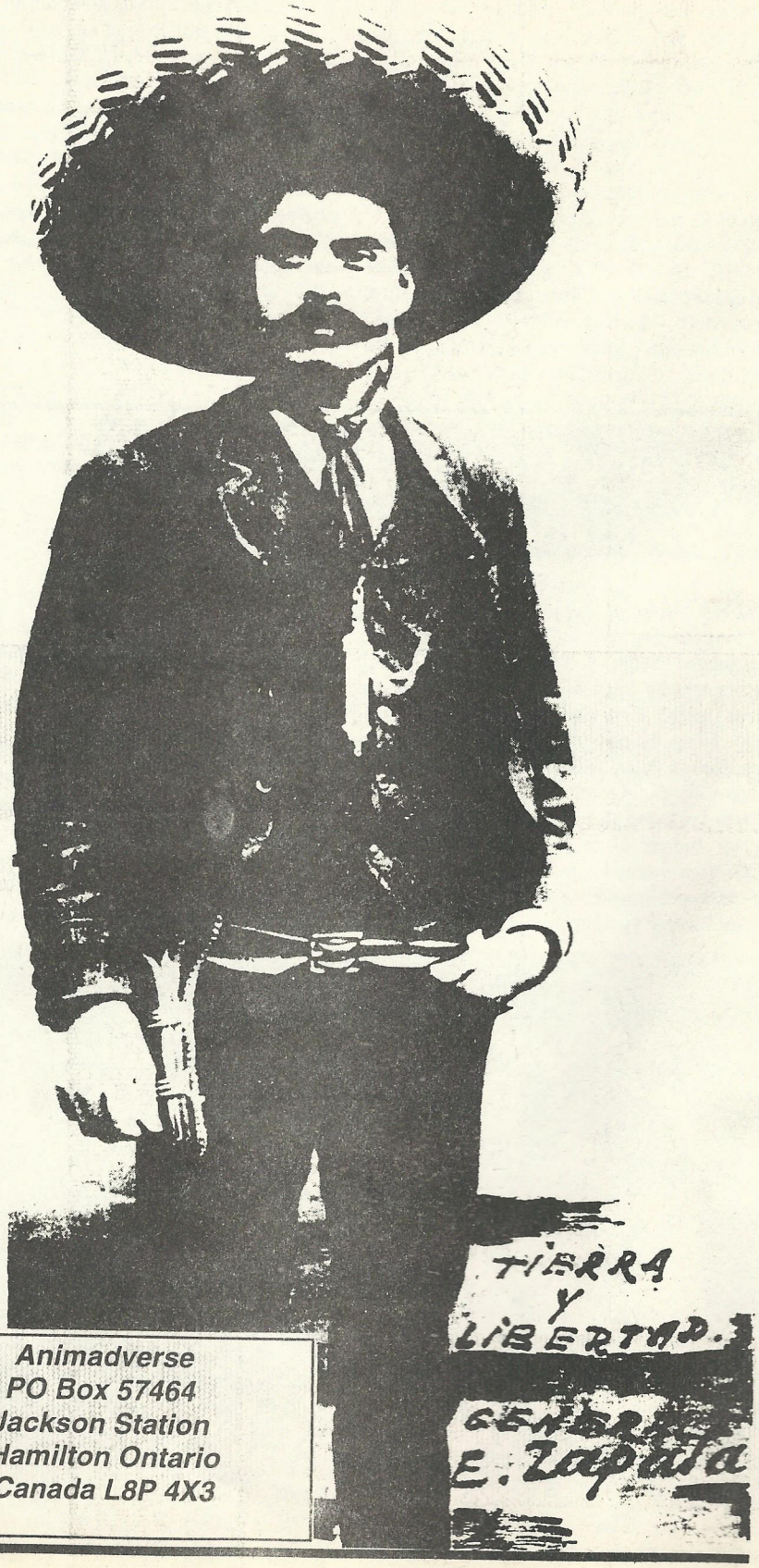

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